

REMARKS

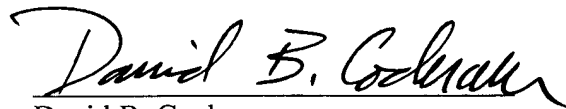
In response to the April 19, 2006 Office Action, an Examiner Interview was conducted on July 18, 2006 between the undersigned attorney, Mr. Cochran, and Examiner Gauthier. The declaration previously submitted under 37 CFR 1.131 was discussed at length. Mr. Cochran pointed out how the declaration demonstrated conception of the claimed invention, and Examiner Guathier agreed that the previously submitted declaration demonstrated conception and therefore withdraw the objection thereto.

Having accepted the Rule 1.131 declaration, Examiner Gauthier agreed that the rejections in view of the Rodriguez reference would be withdrawn. Mr. Cochran agreed to submit these remarks in response to the Office Action.

This application is now in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David B. Cochran". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "David" and last name "Cochran" clearly legible.

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